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DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)			U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)	
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371			10/590615	
INTERNA	ATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED	
	005/000747	January 26, 2005	February 26, 2004	
	PISTON PUMP FOR THICK MATERIALS			
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Manfred Lenhart				
Applicant(s) herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:				
1.	This is a FIRST submission of it	tems concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.		
2. 🗌	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUE	UENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U	J.S.C. 371.	
⁻3. ■	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9), and (21) indicated below.			
4. ■	The US has been elected (Article	31).		
5. 🔳	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C.371(c)(2))			
	 a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 			
6.	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).			
	 a. ■ is attached hereto. b. □ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 			
7.	Amendments to the claims of the	International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C	2. 371(c)(3))	
	 a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made. 			
8. 🗌	An English language translation of	of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35	U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).	
9.	An oath or declaration of the inve	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C 371(c)(4)) - (unsigned).		
10.	An English language translation of	of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination	on Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C 371(c)(5)).	
	Items 11 to 20 below concern do	ocument(s) or information included:		
11.	An Information Disclosure Staten	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.		
12.	An assignment document for reco	ording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR	3.28 and 3.31 is included.	
13.	A preliminary amendment.			
14.	An Application Data Sheet Under	r 37 CFR 1.76.		
15.	A substitute specification.			
16.	A power of attorney and/or chang	ge of address letter.		
17.	A computer-readable form of the	sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and	35 U.S.C. 1.821 – 1.825.	
18.	A second copy of the published in	nternational application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).		
19.	A second copy of the English lang	guage translation of the international application under 35	U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	
20.	Other items or information:			

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I certify that the attached return postcard; Transmittal Form 1390 (in duplicate); Patent Application Bibliographic Data Form; PCT International Application No. PCT/EP2005/000747 (in German) consisting of 24 pages of Specification, 5 pages of Claims (33 claims), 5 sheets of drawings, PCT Application Cover Sheet, and Search Report (in German); PCT International Application No. PCT/EP2005/000747 (in English) consisting of 25 pages of Specification, 6 pages of Claims (33 claims), 1 page of Summary, 5 sheets of drawings, and International Search Report (in English); PCT Request (in German); PCT Declaration for Utility Patent Application; Receipt for Documents; Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document; Written Reply of the International Investigation Authority (in German); Preliminary Amendment; and a check in the amount of \$1,730.00 for the PCT national stage filing fee are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail in an envelope having Express Mail Label Number EV900886324US addressed to:

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